

HOUSEHOLD DATA
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED
QUARTERLY AVERAGES

D-10. Unemployed persons by duration of unemployment, seasonally adjusted

(Numbers in thousands)

Duration	2003			2004				2005				2006	
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NUMBER OF UNEMPLOYED													
Less than 5 weeks	2,888	2,748	2,657	2,572	2,711	2,755	2,744	2,612	2,675	2,637	2,750	2,609	2,608
5 to 14 weeks	2,677	2,664	2,530	2,413	2,383	2,400	2,314	2,329	2,293	2,324	2,257	2,116	2,136
15 weeks and over	3,398	3,583	3,401	3,299	3,048	2,931	2,972	2,825	2,575	2,580	2,462	2,352	2,267
15 to 26 weeks	1,440	1,558	1,444	1,382	1,263	1,231	1,267	1,195	1,089	1,139	1,074	1,087	1,011
27 weeks and over	1,958	2,024	1,958	1,917	1,785	1,699	1,705	1,631	1,487	1,441	1,388	1,265	1,256
Average (mean) duration, in weeks	19.3	19.6	19.7	19.9	19.8	19.2	19.6	19.2	18.5	18.3	17.7	17.1	16.7
Median duration, in weeks	10.5	10.2	10.3	10.4	10.1	9.3	9.5	9.3	9.0	9.0	8.5	8.6	8.2
PERCENT DISTRIBUTION													
Total unemployed	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than 5 weeks	32.2	30.6	30.9	31.0	33.3	34.1	34.2	33.6	35.5	35.0	36.8	36.9	37.2
5 to 14 weeks	29.9	29.6	29.5	29.1	29.3	29.7	28.8	30.0	30.4	30.8	30.2	29.9	30.5
15 weeks and over	37.9	39.8	39.6	39.8	37.4	36.2	37.0	36.4	34.1	34.2	33.0	33.2	32.3
15 to 26 weeks	16.1	17.3	16.8	16.7	15.5	15.2	15.8	15.4	14.4	15.1	14.4	15.4	14.4
27 weeks and over	21.8	22.5	22.8	23.1	21.9	21.0	21.2	21.0	19.7	19.1	18.6	17.9	17.9

NOTE: Beginning in January 2006, data reflect revised population controls used in the household survey.